

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Gregory R. Hintermeister

Serial No.: 10/767,044

Filed: January 29, 2004

For: MULTI-IMAGE FILE APPARATUS AND METHOD

Group Art Unit: 2176

Confirmation No.: 4831

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Mail Stop Appeal Brief - Patents  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated December 30, 2009, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 22-32 and 34-43.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☐ An extension of time to respond to the final rejection was granted on \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ month(s).
2. ☐ A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
3. ☒ This Notice of Appeal constitutes a timely response to the final rejection.

4. ☒ The fee of \$540.00 is:
- ☐ Enclosed.
- ☒ Not required. (Fee paid in prior appeal.)
- ☐ Charged to Deposit Account No. 09-0465.

Date: March 30, 2010

Respectfully submitted,

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